

'The Financial Stringency' BUSINESS GAINS DURING PAST WEEK

Has Got 'Em Coming to Me'—Says Daniels.



In these days of retrenchment it is the wise man and the hard-up man who appreciates me.

These men sorter saw that I was no 65-horse-power auto-owner when I announced that almost-half-price-cut on tailored suits—a sale which sent shivers down the spines of high-priced tailors and the hand-me-downers.

Speaking of that sale—well, it brought 'em.

Many of the Suits have been made and are being worn with justifiable pride. The newcomers were surprised at the excellent quality of goods at such prices—then more so at the natty, graceful style, the snappy, perfect fit, and the character of workmanship. Some of these Suits and Overcoats went at \$15.00, \$20.00 and \$25.00—instead of holdup prices which other tailors charge. Lawyers, mining men, bankers, doctors, business men—they are the men who came.

THAT SALE AT \$10.00 AND UPWARD IS STILL ON. MOREOVER, WITH EACH SUIT I WILL GIVE THE CUSTOMER A FANCY VEST FREE, WHICH HOLDS GOOD UNTIL CHRISTMAS.

Suits, Overcoats, etc., which have not been called for, at almost any price offered. I want cash—got to have it, you know.

Daniels, The Tailor
57 W. Second South Street.

Nearly Everyone Travels A Little

During the year, and for those people who do, a leather traveling case for toilet articles is a great convenience.

Why not give that man you know something in leather—collar and cuff sets, for instance; coat hangers in leather cases; a telephone list, or any one of the innumerable novelties we have in this line?

SCHRAMM'S
"WHERE THE CARS STOP"

EXCURSIONS FROM UTAH

\$32.00

To Kansas City, Atchison and St. Joe
—AND—
Intermediate Points.

Dates of sale December 19th and 20th. Limit 30 days. Stopoffs allowed. Also reduced rates to other points. For further information apply to

C. F. WARREN, G. A.
Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Ry.
411 Dooly Block,
Salt Lake City, Utah.

Bank Statements Show Sound Money Conditions and Business Stability.

CHRISTMAS TRADE SETTING IN HEAVY

Even Real Estate, in Dull Season, More Than Holds Its Own.

The feature of the week in banking circles was the response to the call of the Secretary of State by the private and State banks of the city for the report of their condition. The call was issued Wednesday as of the 9th, and was responded to immediately. The unpublished reports show that all the banks are in a good condition; that there has not been any falling off in the amount of the deposits and that there are on hand ample amounts of cash to carry on all the legitimate business of the city. Following as they do the statements published of the condition of the national banks, made last week, they indicate that Salt Lake has suffered very little from the recent financial disturbance in the East.

The real estate dealers also report a good business for the time of year. November and December are generally considered poor months in the real estate line, yet a comparison with the business of last year at this time will show results that are distinctly favorable to the city. The transfer of \$300,000 in connection with the enlargement of the J. L. L. Furniture and Carpet company's business on Third South, and the intention of the parties interested to increase their plant almost one-half, indicate the confidence in the future of the city by some of the most conservative of the business men that argues well for the condition of business at this time and for next spring.

Real Estate Active.

The real estate dealers report a good many small sales. One firm has a rapidly increasing call for small properties for building and renting purposes. It appears that much of the money that was formerly invested in mining stocks has been diverted into real estate. Many of the dealers are continuing the building of homes in various parts of the city, which they sell for values between \$2500 and \$5000, especially on the northeast bench. A firm which makes a specialty of bringing Eastern capital into the city for investment in real property says that there has been little appreciable falling off in the number of sales this month over what they recorded last month. Rentals are good also, although there has been a slight tendency to curtail expenses somewhat and to put up with smaller and cheaper accommodations for the winter.

The dealers in business opportunities report an almost unprecedented demand for chances for the investment of small amounts of capital in business like restaurants, small dry goods houses and small manufacturing plants in the city and the vicinity. Some of the bankers also report the withdrawal of money for investment in real estate and in business in the immediate vicinity of the city rather than in larger enterprises farther away.

The Christmas Trade.

Dealers in Christmas goods report the season for the holidays fairly launched. The buyers show a disposition to purchase useful presents, however, rather than the purely ornamental ones. Rugs and house furnishings find a ready sale if the values are not too high. The demand for linens and other staple articles is excellent. The continuance of the warm weather has seriously affected the sales in clothing of all kinds, however, and especially in shoes. People show a disposition to make the old things do as far as possible until the spring. It is early yet to tell just what the volume of trade will be in comparison with that of last year, but the dealers express the opinion that it will be about the same.

In practically every line except mining machinery, the trade in hardware has been unusually good. Builders' tools, cutlery and household utensils are in great demand. This is in keeping with the building going on as reported by the real estate men. The demand for stoves, furnaces and all sorts of heating apparatus has been a little below the average on account of the warm season. Tools of all kinds are in good demand, however, and harness, robes and horse furniture find plenty of buyers. Articles for Christmas presents of the practical kind show an activity that is up to the average.

Stock Quotations.

The following are the prices quoted for local stocks on the exchange Saturday:

Amalgamated Sugar Co., pfd.	\$ 90.00
do common	150.00
Beneficial Life Insurance Co.	110.00
Con. Wagon and Machine Co., pfd.	25.00
do common	97.50
Deseret National bank	170.00
Deseret Savings bank	500.00
First National bank, Ogden	215.00
Home Fire Insurance Co.	185.00
Heber J. Grant & Co.	120.00
Lewiston Sugar Co.	11.50
National Bank of the Republic	145.00
Ogden Savings bank	240.00
Provo Com. and Savings bank	145.00
Rocky Mt. Bell Telephone Co.	75.00
State Bank of Utah	190.00
Sugar City Townships Co.	125.00
Thatcher Bros. Banking Co.	147.00
Utah-Idaho Sugar Co., pfd.	2.50
do common	2.10
Utah National bank	145.00
Utah Savings and Trust Co.	100.00
Western Loan and Savings	100.00
Zion's Savings Bank and Trust Co.	275.00
Z. C. M. I.	180.00

Salt Lake City Railroad	102 1/2
Summit Valley Railroad	102 1/2
Utah County Light and Power Co.	102 1/2
Utah Sugar Co.	101 1/2

Inward and Outward.

The inward effects of humors are worse than the outward. They weaken all the organs, inflame the mucous membrane, cause catarrhal troubles, and endanger the whole system.

Hood's Sarsaparilla eradicates all humors and cures all their effects. It's the great alternative and tonic medicine whose merit has been everywhere established.

Accept no substitute.

Dr. L. F. Hummer has reopened his office at suite 123-124 in the Mercantile Annex, corner Third South and Main streets.

Good Printing.

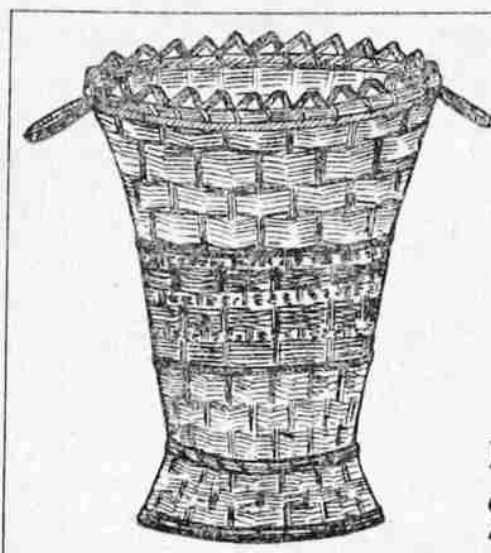
Tribune-Reporter Ptg. Co., 65 W. and So. St.

THE STORE Beautiful

20% DISCOUNT

On everything in "The Store Beautiful" except Macey Sectional Cases and Carpets, Rugs and Draperies. This should be good news to Christmas gift buyers, who study the way to make every dollar go as far as possible. Here in this store where everything is a suitable present, and regular prices very moderate, considering qualities.

This discount applies to all pieces or sets of Furniture, Fancy Holiday Ornaments, Wastepaper Baskets and Pictures, and will be in force till Christmas

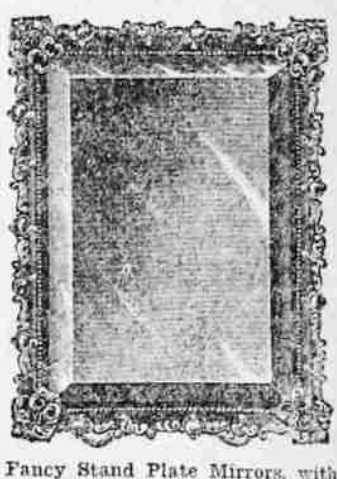


Christmas Special
55c
Fancy Waste Basket.
All other Fancy Baskets 20% OFF.

Our entire line of **33 1/3 % Off** exquisite art lamps



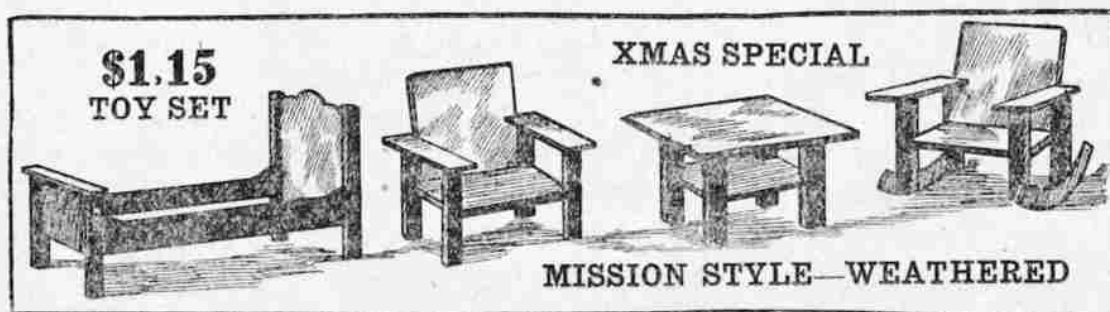
The Grandest Exploitations of Various Period Designs Shown Anywhere in the West.



Fancy Stand Plate Mirrors, with pretty brass or burnished silver frames. Christmas special... \$1.25

For Children's Christmas Presents

Besides these specials we have a big line of Children's Furniture of useful sizes, Chairs, Rockers, and Tables, reproductions of large designs, all included in the discount sale, and the numbers here illustrated at extraordinary special prices, for Christmas week.



Some Things Especially Desirable for Gift Giving:

Morris Chairs
Ladies' Desks
Fancy Rockers
Framed Pictures
Music Cabinets
Work Baskets
Hoosier Kitchen Cabinets.
Smoker Stands
Shaving Stands
Pipe Racks
Cellarettes
Costumes
Bookcases

We have the styles that cannot fail to please.

Choose Xmas Goods Now.

WE DELIVER THEM WHEN WANTED.

Store open evenings from now till Christmas

The Greenwald Furniture Co

FERD. STROUSE, President. J. A. GREENWALD, Secretary.
33 to 43 W. THIRD SOUTH.

CHILD'S MORRIS CHAIR

Weathered Oak with Boston leather seat and back
Special... \$2.65



Child's Rocker

Maple finish medium size, splendid value.
SPECIAL

30c



HOLIDAY EXCURSION RATES

Via Oregon Short Line, December 19th and 20th. Round trip to Denver, Colorado Springs, and Pueblo, \$19.75; to Omaha or Kansas City, \$32.00; to San Francisco direct, \$35.50; to Los Angeles, via San Francisco, \$42.90. Tickets good thirty days. City Ticket Office, 201 Main street.

DR. HIGGINS'S BLACK SPAN SPEEDY AND SHOWY PAIR

Among the many fine turnouts in Salt Lake City, the span of black roadsters, Alice and Alta, owned and driven by Dr. C. W. Higgins, is second to none. Bred in the purple, these beautiful grand-daughters of the great McKinney, from that seat of extreme speed, Santa Rosa, Cal., standing fifteen and a half hands, perfectly matched and gaited, with three-minute

speed, to pole, to their credit, and faster time single, are about as perfect a span of horses as one can well imagine, and in the park, on the speedway, or in the show ring, single or double, this pair will do credit to their great grandfathers, and "look as if the speed of thought were in their limbs." Dr. Higgins is and may well be proud to be the owner of such a grand pair.

Bath Robes, Lounging Robes and House Costs of quality in our assortment.

W. E. FIFE CO., Successors to Brown, Terry & Woodruff Co.

MAY SEND KIDNAPERS TO PRISON FOR LIFE

CHICAGO, Dec. 14.—State's Attorney Healy today announced that the case against W. S. Birmingham and his

wife, the kidnapers of Lillian Wulff, will be pushed as rapidly as possible. Kidnaping a child under the age of 12 years is punishable in this State by a term in the penitentiary of from one year to life, and the police department has already signified its intention of asking that the penalty in the cases of both kidnapers be for the maximum. Birmingham today gave more particulars of his life than he has heretofore. He said he was married to his wife in Kansas City in 1901, and that in that year they kidnaped Ella Kates in Kansas City, and that the girl is now in a retreat in Dubuque, Ia.

Late in the day Birmingham and his wife were held to the Criminal court in bonds of \$15,000 each.

LOS ANGELES WANTS ELKS GRAND LODGE, 1909

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 14.—The Los Angeles lodge of Elks has appointed a committee of twenty members, headed by Postmaster M. H. Flint, to secure the next grand lodge meeting for this city in 1909. The grand lodge will meet in Dallas next July, and the committee will go by special train to urge the claims of Los Angeles for the next convention.

The Latest Out.
Bix Box, the most sanitary bread made. Vienna Bakery.

In the Eyes of the Wise
Vienna Bakery bread is always the "best." Ask your grocer for it.

Tribune Want Ads.
Bell phone 5201. Ind. phone 360 348.

THANKS JURY FOR SENTENCE OF DEATH

READING, Pa., Dec. 14.—Frank Palmer, aged 36, was convicted of murder in the first degree here today by killing Mrs. Gertrude Clinton, his wife, three months ago, by cutting her throat. Palmer thanked the jury when the verdict was rendered, and added: "Thank God I'm going."

Novel, solid colors and combinations in new Silk Hose for the holidays. W. E. FIFE CO., Successors to Brown, Terry & Woodruff Co.

Closing Out.
Woman's Co-op is closing out winter millinery. A fine assortment of elderly ladies' bonnets at reduced prices. 29 East First South.